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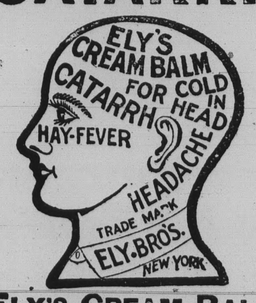
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Ruth's Aunt Mehitable.

By ANNE HEILMAN.

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Hetty Peters sat gazing out of her window across the closely cropped lawn, past the garden of many hued roses and away to the woods, all white with dogwood and purple with violets. She held a letter in her hand. Not in many a long year had Hetty's face worn such an expression of woe.

"If you please, ma'am," awakened her from the trance. She turned to the cook and gave her orders for the day. Then, with a sigh, she opened the letter and reread it:

Dear Aunt Mehitable—Papa and Jessie Miller will be married Tuesday morning and sail for Europe the same day on an extended trip. So I shall leave college and go home to look after you.

The Stirlings are here for the wedding. You know they are related to Jessie. Fred looks as old as his father. They have made a mint of money mining in Colorado and intend to buy back their estate and settle down as our nearest neighbors again. No place like the south, they declare. Papa invited them to make our house their home while negotiations are pending. Business will detain Mr. Stirling in Boston for a few weeks, but Fred will come to town with me. Expect us on Thursday. Your loving RUTH.

"Jessie's a dear soul. I hope they'll be very happy," Hetty murmured to herself, "but I never thought John would marry again. And Ruth coming back a year before I expected! This'll never seem like home to me any more."

Hetty Peters was single. She had never had a lover, had never looked for one and, incredible as it may seem, had never wished for one. She had been altogether too busy, first, in looking after a younger sister and brother, and, second, in caring for her delicate mother, to consider her matrimonial prospects. The brother and sister had grown up, married and moved north. Her mother's death had left her alone.

When her elder brother's wife died she had gone to live with him, and for several years her existence had been happy if monotonously uneventful. Now came the disquieting news of John's second marriage and of her niece's unexpected return.

Ruth had a decided predilection for managing everything and everybody she came in contact with. Her aunt had always trembled before her. Ruth was the only one who remembered her baptismal name, and Hetty detested it, but Ruth persisted in calling her Aunt Mehitable.

"Perhaps she intends to marry Fred!" Hetty reflected hopefully. "If she does, of course he'll have to give in. He was a nice looking boy when he left. I remember I kissed him goodby, he seemed such a boy, and he is a year older than I am."

On Thursday Miss Peters was at the station when the northern train arrived. While she was watching the outcoming passengers from one car a hand touched swiftly her arm, and a pleasant voice exclaimed, "Hetty, you have not changed a bit since we parted."

"I've grown fifteen years older," she answered, giving her hand to a tall, bronzed, handsome man, whose dark eyes were scrutinizing her admiringly.

"I know it," he replied. "So have I"—

"Fred, loosen that checkrein. Aunt Mehitable, how could you drive this horse in such a condition? You really need some one to look after you!"

And Hetty realized, with a pang, that Ruth had come back to her own.

"No tea for me," she commanded at the dinner table. "Aunt Mehitable, I'm surprised at you! Any doctor will tell you that tannic acid is a rank poison. It's positively criminal to use tea or coffee when one can have fresh milk."

The next morning Ruth's sway began.

"Just up?" she called out as Hetty made her appearance at 7 o'clock. "I've been up for hours. I shall move the breakfast time an hour earlier, and you must come for a walk every morning before breakfast. It will do you a world of good." And Aunt Hetty, realizing the futility of argument where Ruth was concerned, miserably acquiesced.

"Is it possible you sleep on a feather bed?" exclaimed Ruth that evening, unexpectedly invading her aunt's room. "Don't you know that feathers are not sanitary? You need some one to look after you, Aunt Mehitable."

"I'm not so old as that," protested Hetty.

"It isn't altogether a matter of age; it's temperament. You take life like a grasshopper. You really do need some one. Of course you'll have me until"—

"Until you marry?" suggested Hetty.

"I have been thinking of it," Ruth admitted complacently. "By the way, how do you like Fred?"

"I think he is in every way desirable. I don't believe any woman could ask for a better husband."

"I'm glad to hear you say so," said Ruth. "Was his father a good husband?"

"I do not remember Fred's mother. She died when I was very young. But I always understood they were very happy."

"I met Mr. Stirling frequently at Jessie's," said Ruth. "He came to Boston on business. If Fred is like his father I'm sure he'll make a good husband. We were talking about you this afternoon. He thinks you look younger than I do, and he thinks, as I do, that you need some one to take care of you. He really takes a great interest in you, Aunt Mehitable."

"He takes a great interest in you apparently, which is more to the point," ejaculated her exasperated aunt. "Do you mean to pretend that you don't want Fred to be fond of you?"

"Why, of course," asserted Ruth as she rose to leave the room. "Of course I hope Fred is going to be fond of me. I shall have that feather bed taken up to the garret tomorrow morning, Aunt Mehitable."

In the days that followed Hetty found herself taken in hand and "looked after" with a thoroughness that reduced her to the verge of melancholia. All her actions and movements were regulated by her energetic niece, who decided what she should eat, what she should drink and wherewithal she should be clothed.

"Ruth is so systematic," said Hetty loyally when Fred awkwardly attempted to condole with her. "She has such executive ability. She's really wonderful."

"She is, indeed," Fred assented. "She is a perfect example of what the higher education can do for a woman. But, joking aside, I don't think she's an awfully good sort, and I'm fonder of her than any other girl I know. This is a very pleasant day. Can't you come for a row on the river, Hetty?"

"N-no. I have some work that must be attended to," she faltered.

"You haven't given me any of your attention since I've been here," he complained. "You're not treating me right, Hetty."

"But—Ruth"— Hetty began in surprise.

Fred rose to his feet.

"Hetty," he said, "I want you to know something. When I left for the west, you kissed me goodby. Oh, I know you felt nothing but friendship for your old playfellow, and it sounds silly to say, but it's true, I've never kissed another woman. I meant to tell you some day, and now that"— He paused. "I promised not to say anything until Ruth told you, but"—

"I understand," said Hetty softly.

"Did she tell you?" he asked.

"Not in so many words, but I think she meant me to understand. I am so glad."

"It began last winter," said Fred. "I'm glad too. I think we're all going to be very happy."

"Aunt Mehitable," broke in Ruth's crisp voice, "here's a telegram from Mr. Stirling. He will arrive this evening."

The interruption was welcome to Hetty. She felt that she could not have endured another word.

Hetty spent the remainder of the day in her room. Fred and Ruth waved their hands gayly when she drove off to the station to meet Mr. Stirling. How well they looked together, she thought. Something in the sight stirred a strain of sadness in her. She seemed to realize for the first time that she had been cheated out of her girlhood.

Absorbed in her sad musings, she absentmindedly took a turning which made her drive longer by half a mile. When she reached the station Mr. Stirling had already started for the Pines.

Hetty drove back slowly. The full moon arose and the air was sweet with the scent of roses, but Hetty had no thoughts for the beauty of the night.

She threw the reins to the stable boy and took a short cut for the house. She was in no mood to join the family party and intended to go quietly to her room.

As she passed the rose garden she caught sight of Ruth's white dress in the shrubbery. Ruth's face was upturned to her companion, and—yes, he had taken her in his arms. It was Ruth's kiss Fred would remember now.

Hetty sat down on a rustic seat under a live oak. The meaning of it all swept over her. She was thirty-four, and there had never been moonlight or a rose garden for her. She had always left love out of her plans for herself, and now it was Fred, Ruth's Fred, out there in the rose garden, and she was alone with the emptiness of thirty-four unlived years—alone and old. Her eyes filled with scalding tears, and she sobbed aloud.

"Why, Hetty, what on earth are you crying about?"

Fred sat down beside her and gathered her in his arms.

"Don't cry, dearest," he implored. "Tell me what the trouble is. Don't you want dad to have Ruth? Why, I"—

"Your father!" gasped Hetty. "Is that who she's with?"

"Why, of course," said Fred. "I told you all about it."

Hetty sprang up in astonishment.

"I expected her to marry you," she cried.

He laughed softly.

"I didn't. She knew all along that I wanted to marry you. She's been doing all she could to make the match. She knew you needed some one to look after you."

The Seven Prophets.

"The late Duke of Devonshire," said a diplomat at a Washington dinner, "kept a stud and took a calm and ducal interest in the races. There was a certain sporting paper that kept a large staff of prophets and always prophesied the outcome of important races. The duke for some reason put great reliance in these prophets and their prophecies. He always read the paper, and he continually recommended it to his friends. But once at Goodwood, at the day's end, a man came up to the duke and said:

"'What of your paper now? Did you see it this morning? Six prophets prophesied that six different horses would win, and here only seven ran, and the winner was the seventh, which no prophet had selected. Well, what have you to say now?'

"'All I have to say,' the duke answered calmly, 'is that there's room for another prophet on tha paper.'"

A POOR GROCER.

Audubon's Lame Attempt to Succeed as a Merchant.

It is not generally remembered that the worldwide reputation of Audubon as a naturalist incidentally is due to his failure to establish himself permanently as a Missouri grocery merchant and dealer in the best brands of Kentucky whisky.

In 1810 he and Ferdinand Rozier of St. Genevieve loaded a keel boat at Louisville, Ky., with 310 barrels of whisky and groceries and started down the Ohio and Mississippi to St. Genevieve to open a grocery store. The trip was made during the winter, and the streams were so full of ice that the boat was drawn up against the bank and winter quarters were established just below Cape Girardeau. When St. Genevieve was reached, after the opening of navigation, the firm of Audubon & Rozier opened their store and did a prosperous business. But the business was done by Rozier, for Audubon preferred the woods to the counter and devoted more of his time to sketching and stuffing birds than he did to marketing the 310 barrels of Kentucky bourbon or any other groceries. This led to a dissolution of the partnership. On April 11, 1811, Audubon, convinced of his unfitness for business, sold out to Rozier and took up the work for which he was better fitted than any one who had lived before or who has lived since and from a fourth rate grocer became the great ornithologist. The grocery business which Audubon abandoned grew until finally it "extended throughout all of upper Louisiana."—Kansas City Star.

A WOMAN OF QUICK WIT.

Susan B. Anthony Never Lacked a Ready Reply.

Few lives so lend themselves to dramatic narration as Susan B. Anthony's, says the Delineator. It ranged from tragedy to comedy, with scattered bits of melodrama, she ever in the center of the stage. With her everything was always intensely realistic—not acting.

Miss Anthony had a peculiar faculty of condensing a whole speech into a single sentence. For instance, when she heard men lamenting that the profession of teacher was not respected as much as the other professions, "Do you not see that so long as society says woman has not brains enough to be a doctor, lawyer or minister, but has plenty to be a teacher, every man of you who condescends to teach tacitly admits before all Israel and the sun that he has no more brains than a woman?" And when Horace Greeley said to her at Albany, "You know the ballot and bullet go together—if you vote, are you ready to fight?" instantly she retorted, "Yes, Mr. Greeley, just as you fought in the late war—at the point of a goose quill!" Again, when she was talking on divorce and the Rev. A. D. Mayo, thinking to annihilate her, said, "You are not married: you have no business to be discussing marriage," "Well, Mr. Mayo," she answered, "you are not a slave; suppose you quit lecturing on slavery!"

His Support.

A young colored man in Washington who passed with credit a civil service examination was immediately certified for appointment to the treasury department. His old mother, a darky of the antebellum type, insisted upon accompanying him to witness his taking of the oath of office. When the official charged with the swearing in of the new clerk put to him the usual formula with reference to "supporting the constitution of the United States" the old lady's eyes were seen to bulge with astonishment. But she said nothing till she and her son were outside, when, turning to him, she solemnly observed:

"I didn't wanter say nothin' in there, Joe, but 'deed, honey, I don't see how youse goin' to suppote de United States when you ain't been able till now to suppote your folkses."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Bird Structure.

Birds belong to the vertebrates, or backboned animals. They are distinguished from the rest of the vertebrates by the graceful outlines of their bodies, by their clothing of feathers, toothless jaws and the fore limbs, or wings, being adapted to flying. Nature has made many wonderful provisions in the bird, especially in the formation and arrangement of the bones. These are compact and in many cases hollow, thus combining lightness with strength. The first bone of the backbone is so freely jointed to the skull that birds can turn their heads around and look directly back.

Alms From a Tomb.

A remarkable custom which has been uninterruptedly in force for 300 years is yearly observed at Ideford, a secluded parish a few miles from Chudleigh. It is that of picking up alms from the donor's tomb in the churchyard. The rector and churchwarden stand at one end of the tomb, upon the flat top of which they place coins. The recipients of the charity come up one by one to the other end of the tomb and pick up the money.—London Standard.

They're All Old.

"I am about," said the speaker, "to tell a story which I believe is new to most of you."

"Gee," interrupted a little man at the end of the banquet hall, "that fellow would believe anything!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Youth and Advice.

Naturally youth doesn't listen to advice. One has to make mistakes for forty or fifty years before one begins to suspect that such things are possible.—Indianapolis News.

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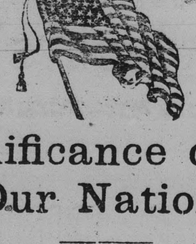
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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.



The Significance of Our National Pride.

THE Fourth of July, nineteen hundred and eight, is one which the nation may celebrate with the old-time spirit of true Americanism, and with added zeal and fresh enthusiasm, for we stand on the threshhold of a glorious era in American affairs, which have promise of being admirably and diplomatically administered by the Republican nominee for President, Hon. William H. Taft of Ohio.

We are proud to look back at the achievments of our nation, at its wondrous growth and present prestige, and with the coming of each new anniversary it becomes more apparant to us that the United States has been growing in complexity as well as importance until now the problem of administrating its internal as well as outside affairs requires the highest type of executive insight and ability. The internal affairs of our nation are of the greatest importance, for with security and peace at home we may be assured of the respect of the foreign powers. The complexity of this side of our government while requiring a steady and powerful rein, is indeed a tribute to the progress of the nation's units. The people are growing —some few of them so colossal that the country itself has a lively time to keep up with them and their methods, but we are all conscious and watchful of our machinery, and it is being readjusted and fitted to every emergency. Those who attempt to dodge the stamp of American approval have had the screws turned tightly upon them, and only recently we have heard the squeal of those who were forced to submit to the pressure which they had tried to escape. It is good to know that dishonest practices and institutions are not really American, and yet they hurt the country whose offi-shoot they seem to be, and hamper that kernel of the American ideal, "the equal chance." It is hard to compete with gigantic dishonesty. Yet we are not to be forced into competency with it for American statesmanship with its sociological insight recognizes that its rank growth is not real prosperity but a gorgeous show which fools the outside world and covers a multitude of sins and frailties at home. What is the cure for it? It has begun, and President Roosevelt struck at the very root of the evil with such force that we have already felt the reaction. Is this not better than temporary alleviation, than patching up, than surface treatment? The approval of the American people is evident and their advanced understanding and high type of patriotism makes them willing to stand their share of the shock.

All unconsciously we have been schooling a man who, like Napoleon, is seemingly so coincident with his time that it is remarkable and marvelously fortunate for the country that such a one is now available. We had the man who had the courage to strike at the root of the evil and we now have a man to renew and readjust conditions with all the skill and diplomacy which the exigency requires.

American products of manhood, citizenship and statesmanship do us proud and Taft is one of the highest types of these. For the country to produce men of such calibre is reason enough for us to celebrate, for by our institutions and unhampered methods of growth such Americans become possible and with them and by them the country is secure, while we of the majority may concern ourselves only with endorsing their work and methods, giving them moral support and coming together on great days like this to celebrate the perpetuity of such characters as Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln and the continuation and expansion of their ideas into the broad principles of modern Americanism.

It is not because we are so superior in the matter of our laws or achievements, or strong in the forces of war that there is cause for rejoicing on this holiday. We are not self-applauders, but we are grateful for the way that was fought for us in the past, for the path that was pointed out to us, the precepts that were taught to us, and we thank the Almighty who watches over this nation for the power of introspection which makes us see our plans and the power of self-criticism which enables the intelligent majority to be working out a high and mighty destiny for its posterity.

Frank Gilbert Here.

Frank Gilbert, a jakie from the battleship Georgia, was in town several days this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gilbert, and shaking hands with the many friends of his boyhood days here. This was his first visit to his old Sonoma home in eight or ten years. He is a veteran of the Spanish-American war and did battle for his country in the Philippines as a private under the stars and stripes. Tiring of army life, he enlisted in the navy and passed through the Golden Gate with Admiral Evans' fleet after its great cruise around the Horn.

The Fourth in Sonoma.

The Fourth will be celebrated in this place with a race meet this afternoon, to be given by the Sonoma Driving Club. There will be many attractive races and a large turnout of admirers of speedy horseflesh is anticipated.

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Notice of Time and Place for Proving Will.

In the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California. In the matter of the Estate of CAMILLE FORTUNE AGUILLON, deceased. No. 4501.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Monday, the sixth day of July, A. D., 1908, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, and the court room of said Superior Court, in Department Two thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Camille Fortune Aguillon, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Norman J. Heggie for the issuance to him of Letters of Administration with the Will annexed thereon.

Dated June 19th, A. D. 1908.

[Seal.] F. L. WRIGHT, Clerk.
By G. W. LIBBY, Deputy Clerk.
H. P. MATHEWSON, Esq., Attorney for petitioner.
Date of first publication June 20, 1908.

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NOTICE
To Water Consumers

The Sonoma City Water Works Company takes this method of announcing to its patrons that on and after June 1st, 1908, the following rules will be strictly enforced, to-wit:

First—That all garden sprinkling must be done between the hours of 7 a. m and 9 a. m. and from 5 p. m. to 8 p. m.

Second—Patrons violating this rule will have an additional $2.50 added to their monthly bill for each offense, to cover the cost of shutting off and turning on the water for those who disregard these rules.

SONOMA CITY WATER WORKS CO.
By MRS. L. V. EMPARAN.
Sonoma, May 30th, 1908.

Habitual Constipation

May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, which enables one to form regular habits daily so that assistance to nature may be gradually dispensed with when no longer needed as the best of remedies, when required, are to assist nature and not to supplant the natural functions, which must depend ultimately upon proper nourishment, proper efforts, and right living generally. To get its beneficial effects, always buy the genuine

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CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. ONLY
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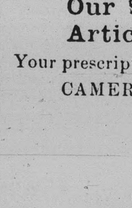
Good coffee is partly in buying and partly in making; like everything else.

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Would like to meet party with $2,000 to put in enterprise where I can assure $10,000 in ten days. I will explain particulars at interview. Address

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August 17, 18, 24 and 25.
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Here are Some of the Rates:

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New York	108.50

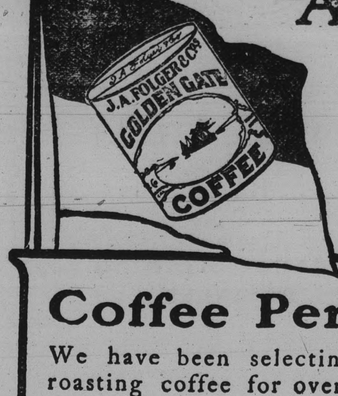
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The Cars that are Simply Perfect and Perfectly Simple.
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Index-Tribune.

SONOMA, JULY 4, 1908.

Official Paper of Sonoma.

GRADUATES FROM GRAMMAR SCHOOLS

Sonoma Valley Pupils Who are Now Eligible to Take Up a High School Course.

The County Board of Education completed the examination of papers sent in by pupils of the various grammar schools of the county last Wednesday. Following is a list of those attending the several grammar schools in this valley who passed the examination successfully and are now eligible to enter upon a High School course of study :

Glen Ellen—Anita R. Dowdall.

El Verano—Myrtle E. Minkle, Carl A. Bolin.

San Louis—Edgar J. Clements and Florence Rubke.

Huichica—Gladys E. Potter, Virginia Pacetti, Harold Coops.

Watmaugh—Alice Young.

Dunbar—James McCartney, Louise Antoinette Lemoine.

Sonoma—Geroane Chase, Hamil O. Wagnon, Harry Luttgens, Reuben Woodworth, Frederick Duhring, Gertrude Breitenbach, Ella Englund, Eva Dresel, Bernice L. Hocker.

Flowery—Lucy C. Huddart.

Enterprise—Celestera Bianchi

Brief Mention.

Willie Fisk is here from Mexico to spend the Fourth.

Subscribe for the Index-Tribune.

Subscribe for the Index-Tribune Do it now

Special sale on Hats at The Racket Store. Willie.

Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune $9 a year for both papers.

We will take your order for engraved cards of any description.

Read what Willie, the office boy, has to say in to-day's INDEX-TRIBUNE

All the stores in town will be closed today and will not reopen till Monday.

Last Sunday was the hottest day experienced in this section for many years.

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

The pretty bungalow being built on First-street East by G. H. Hotz, to be occupied by Mr and Mrs. H. Appleton, is nearing completion.

Catholic Church Services.

Services will be held in St. Francis Church to-morrow at 8:45 a. m. and in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen at 10:30 a. m.

NOTICE
TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Clerk in the New City Hall for 200 yards of dirt (no rocks). The dirt is to be furnished by the city and to be delivered by the contractor under the direction of the Plaza Committee of the Board and to be spread in a good and workmanlike manner to the satisfaction of that committee.

All bids to be in the hands of the City Clerk not later than 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, July 15, 1908.

For information regarding where the earth can be procured see the Street Committee of the Board of City Trustees.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOSEPH B. SMALL,
City Clerk.

Sonoma, July 2d, 1908.

THE PASSING OF AN AGED PIONEER.

James McMackin, an Old Sonoma Valley Resident, Dies at Oakland Home of Daughter.

James McMackin, a pioneer resident of this valley, passed away at the home of his daughter, Annette Merriam, in Oakland, on Thursday of last week.

After a residence of many years on his farm near Schellville deceased removed to Oakland nearly two years ago. During his long residence here Mr. McMackin engaged in various enterprises in which he was very successful. He was the soul of honor in all his business dealings and made many friends in this valley, who admired him for his sterling qualities.

The deceased was a native of Ohio and had reached the ripe old age of 85 years.

He leaves an only daughter, Mrs. Annette Merriam, his wife having passed away years ago.

The Fourth in Sonoma Valley.

The celebration of the national holiday in Sonoma valley was begun last night when the special train of Native Sons from San Francisco pulled into Boyes' Hot Springs. If the preliminaries give any indication of what the celebrating will be today there will be "big doings" at the springs. Last night's jinks were replete with fun and clever stunts The Natives, under the training of A. F. Schleicher, have some classy productions, among which is the rube minstrels. Dancing, feasting and athletic contests, which include some clever aquatic feats in the big swimming tank, will complete the outing and celebration of the Natives, who will return tomorrow to their San Francisco homes.

London's New Story Brings $7000.

Jack London, through his agent Mrs. N. Eames of Glen Ellen, has sold his powerful new novel "Martin Eden" to a western magazine for $7000. It is said to be a wonderful story, embodying in part portions of London's own experiences but differing in style from all his previous stories.

London was paid several hundred dollars for the privilege of reading his manuscript and an option of thirty days. A rival publisher offered one thousand dollars for the option, but the first reviewers accepted the novel at the author's price.

Sudden Death of Mrs. A. S. Luce, Sr.

Mrs A. S. Luce, Sr., mother of Arthur S. Luce of this place, died very suddenly of neuralgia of the heart at her home in Santa Rosa Saturday. Deceased leaves a husband and a large family of grown children to mourn her sudden demise.

Following the dangerous illness of his young bride the sudden death of his mother was a great shock to young Mr. Luce, who has the sympathy of the entire community.

His wife, who has been slowly recovering from the effects of ptomaine poisoning, with which she was stricken down on her bridal day, is still at the home of her parents in Oakland.

Is Your Hair Sick?

That's too bad! We had noticed it was looking pretty thin and rough of late, but naturally did not like to speak of it. By the way, Ayer's Hair Vigor is a regular hair grower, a perfect hair tonic. The hair stops coming out, grows faster, keeps soft and smooth. Ayer's Hair Vigor cures sick hair, makes it strong and healthy.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

A Notorious Visitor.

Eugene E. Schmitz, the deposed boodling Mayor of San Francisco, who is now out on bail pending his trial on the many Grand Jury indictments against him, passed up the valley on the Southern Pacific Sunday morning. He was en route to Glen Ellen to visit friends up that way, and had a good look at Sobre Vista, the country home of Rudolph Spreckels, the terror of the looters of the metropolis, as he speeded along to his destination.

RAILROADS CUT RATE FOR SONOMA VALLEY

Wine, Fruit and Other Local Products Favored by Southern Pacific and Santa Fe.

The Northwestern Pacific railroad, said to be owned jointly by the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe railway systems, has agreed to give shippers over that road the benefit of the "intermediate point" rates on east-bound interstate shipments, and on and after September 1st will no longer compel Sonoma Valley shippers to pay the additional local charge to Southern Pacific connections at Schellville or Santa Fe connections by boat at Point Richmond, via Tiburon.

As stated above this change will go into effect September 1st, with the adoption of the new freight tariff schedule, which is now in the hands of the printer.

According to J. J Geary, Freight and Passenger Agent of the Northwestern Pacific, about the following tonnages will be relieved of the present local charge and their shippers saved just that much on interstate consignments: Hops, 4,000 tons; canned fruit, 9,000 tons; dried fruit, 10,000 tons; wine, 50,000 tons, or about 10,000,000 gallons. The shippers along the line of the Northwestern Pacific who produce these commodities will reap an aggregate saving each year of the amount of freight that has been charged to haul these products from the shipping point to the nearest Southern Pacific or Santa Fe connection for marketing in the East.

On west-bound interstate shipments to points on the Northwestern Pacific the same old tariffs will maintain, with the same charges as heretofore for local hauls from the nearest Southern Pacific and Santa Fe connections.

Rural Mail Carrier Has a Thrilling Experience.

Edward Guyot, the rural mail carrier, had a thrilling experience last Tuesday afternoon. While driving along the county road near the Lubeck place a runaway team belonging to a Napa butcher ran into his light cart from the rear, and came near wrecking it. The horses previous to colliding with Mr. Guyot's rig had ran away from Schellville and after throwing the butcher out and demolishing the wagon became detached from it. The frantic horses dragged the mail cart over a hundred yards before they became disentangled from it. Fortunately the vehicle did not tip over and Mr. Guyot was enabled to keep his seat and escape injury. The name of the butcher we could not learn. He was severely injured when thrown out of his wagon. The runaway horses were finally secured by J. Kiser, who witnessed the accident.

Skelton Glaister Buys Out Chapman Bros.

Skelton Glaister, well-known to all the residents of the valley, has bought out the grocery store of Chapman Bros., located in the Odd Fellows building on Broadway. He will take possession next Monday and will be assisted in conducting the store by his brother, Middleton Glaister.

The Chapman Bros. will return to Napa, where they resided previous to coming here a number of years ago.

TEA

Why isn't everything moneyback?

Everything isn't good enough.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

JULY MEETING OF CITY TRUSTEES.

Board Pays Some Bills, Invites Two Bids and Adjourns to 15th Instant.

The City Trustees met in regular monthly session last Wednesday evening, all the members being present and presiding officer Breitenbach in the chair.

The usual monthly bills were passed as follows :

A. W. Adler, contract	$175 00
Sonoma Valley Co., electric lights	39 75
Wm. Green Estate, lumber	15 55
F. DeMartini, labor	62 87
Mrs. Emparan water	15 00
J. H. Albertson, salary	15 00
Jos. B. Small, salary and expressage	28 50
J. H. Pooler, cleaning fire apparatus	7 50
D. Valente, labor and material	13 75
Total	$370 22

A communication was received from C. Gaetzen asking for the appointment of janitor of New City Hall. The communication, after being read, was placed on file on motion of Trustee McDonell, seconded by Trustee Quartaroli.

The financial report of City Treasurer Burris was received and after being read was referred to the Committee on Finance and Legislation on motion Trustee McDonell, which received a second from Trustee Bates.

The Committee on Finance and Legislation asked for further time in which to prepare a new license ordinance which is in the hands of City Attorney Poppe, who has not as yet prepared the ordinance for presentation to the Board.

The contract with the electric light company for lighting the public streets and city hall was renewed for another month.

The Cemetery Committee was instructed to set aside a piece of land above Mountain cemetery for a dumping place.

On motion of Trustee Wagnon seconded by Trustee McDonell the Plaza Committee was instructed to purchase an American flag for the New City Hall.

The water ordinance was read for the second time and passed to third reading.

On motion of Trustee McDonell, which received a second from Trustee Quartaroli, the Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for the city printing, all bids to be in the hands of the City Clerk not later than 8 o'clock p. m. July 15, 1908.

On motion of Trustee Bates, seconded by Trustee Quartaroli, the Clerk was instructed to call for bids for 200 yards of dirt free from rocks, dirt to be furnished by the city and to be delivered under the direction of the Plaza Committee. It is also to be spread in a good and workmanlike manner to the satisfaction of the above committee. The bids must be in the hands of the City Clerk not later than 8 p. m., July 15th, 1908.

The Board then adjourned to Wednesday evening, July 15th.

Wise Talks by the Office Boy.



Say, what is nicer than a day in June? You have two guesses and the answer is not "two days in June." I'll tell you the answer. It's finding a real nice fitting, stylish, comfortable suit without paying a fancy price for it. The boss has been fortunate this season in securing a very fine and dandy line of the best suits at a price under the market value, so that he can sell you a nice suit that will look as good and wear better than many of the made-to-order for much less money compared to its real value. We have the largest stock of suits, hats, shoes and ties to select from in this valley, so you might as well come to us and let us fit you out before the other fellows get the size and pattern you would select yourself

WILLIE.

With Raymond Bros.,
(Racket Store) Sonoma.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Judgment for Plaintiff.

The civil suit instituted by John Serres against John Lounibos to adjust a claim for rent and settlement of account was decided last Monday by Judge Emmet Seawell. The plaintiff was awarded $640.40. The parties to the suit both reside in El Verano. Mr. Lounibos is the owner of the Bellevue Hotel and Mr. Serres was the lessee of the property for several years. When Mr. Serres' lease expired some months ago a dispute arose in settling up their accounts, hence the suit.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings of the Various Sets Throughout the Town and Valley

Ralph Murphy and wife went to Napa last Sunday.

Miss Hazel Thomas is visiting the Cooks of Napa.

Henry Bates transacted business in San Francisco yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Weems and child have been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murphy of Alameda will spend the Fourth here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Weems were here from San Francisco last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Luce Jr. will be at home to their friends and callers after July 15th.

Charles Kelly of the San Francisco Custom House visited his folks here on Sunday.

Dr. G. Nichols of San Francisco visited Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Nichols at the Rufus farm several days this week.

Ferdinand Norrbom, who has been employed at the California Home the past year, is here for a short vacation.

Wm. H. Daly has been here all week from San Francisco looking after his farming and other properties in this valley.

Mrs. L. S. Simmons and two children are taking a vacation in Oakland. They are guests of Mrs. Simmons' mother, Mrs. Greeley.

Mrs Edward Fowler, Mrs. H. Homer, and little Miss Dorothy Homer, and Mrs. Geo. Reed, were here Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Goess

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Murphy were here from Alameda Sunday and Monday. They were the guests of relatives during their brief sojourn in-town.

Mrs. R. J. Keogh and Miss Ramona Granice will return home Monday after a two weeks visit with relatives in Oakland, Alameda, and San Francisco.

Howard Munfrey has taken up his abode at the California Home at Eldridge. Young Munfrey has been a victim of epileptic fits for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Ward are in town and are the guests of Mr and Mrs. Geo Breitenbach. Mrs. Ward is in poor health and is here in the hopes that change of climate will prove beneficial.

L. Modini, who has been visiting relatives in Italy the past two years, arrived in San Francisco yesterday en route home. He will be in town to-morrow and will spend the Fourth with his relatives and many friends here.

Miss Bertha Hays of Petaluma, a sister of Dr. Hays of this place, had a very acute attack of appendicitis early Sunday morning. Dr. Hays was sent for and found his sister in a very critical condition, but Monday afternoon she was much improved. Miss Hays, when her condition will permit, will undergo an operation.

Board of Education Honors Walter Nolan.

At a meeting of the Sonoma County Board of Education last Thursday, Walter C Nolan, recently principal of the Sonoma Grammar school, was elected its President by his fellow members. This will be a surprise to the people of this place as Mr. Nolan when he resigned the principalship of the grammar school here some weeks ago gave out he was going of Berkeley to live and take up the study of one of the professions in the State University His selection as presiding officer of our County Board of Education, however, would imply that he has changed his mind in that respect; or, mayhap, the honor has been bestowed upon him by his fellow educators to give the ex-principal of our public school prestige in the college town.

CASTOR

Bears the Signature of

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT LAST MONDAY

A Resume of Calendar Day Proceedings in Both Departments.

In Judge Seawell's department on Monday the calendar day proceedings were as follows:

An order to lease was granted in the estate of Frederick O. Schulze.

A sale of realty was confirmed in the matter of the estate of Walter Mecham Fritsch.

The suit of Hobson vs. Mishima was dropped from the calendar.

The motion to strike out and the demurrer was continued to September 14, in the contest of James Taylor Rogers vs. P. L. Schlotterback, et al.

In the suit of William Doss vs. R. Cunningham, the costs were taxed at $16.40.

The motion for a new trial in the suit of Souza vs. Souza was granted.

An order was made denying a motion for judgment on the pleadings in the suit of the Equitable Loan Association vs. Newton et al.

These matters were continued: Brockway et al vs. the Olmsted Company, D. Pehmer vs. City of Santa Rosa, Thomas F. Marks vs. William Fyfe, to July 6; People vs. Markham to July 2.

In Judge Denny's department the will of J. F. Dixon was admitted to probate and Britta C. Dixon was named executor without bonds.

Adolph Reimers was named executor of the will of Gesa Keir without bonds.

The final accounts were settled and distribution ordered of the estates of Attillio Cerighino, Catherine Bamberger, Joseph H. Potter.

Charles J. White was named administrator of the estate of William P. White in a bond of $970.

The petition to set apart the homestead of the late Andrew Patterson to May Belle Patterson was granted

A sale of personal property of the estate of Alex Mirabel was granted.

The supplemental accounts of the estate of Henry Hemker was settled and allowed.

A sale of realty of the estate of T. J. Dehay was confirmed to A. J. Dehay for $4,450, and personal property, $50.

Default was entered in the divorce suit of Elizebeth Violet Woodson vs. George Frank Woodson.

All parties were allowed three weeks in which to prepare a bill of exceptions in the suit of Cardano vs. Wright.

Default was entered in the suit of Susan N. Salmina vs. Jalmers Salmina and the trial was set for July 2.

The trial of the suit of the Creditors' Investment Co. vs. Mrs. F. Haigh was set for July 2.

The trial of the Fruit Canners' Association vs. Frank Perry, was set for September 15.

The trial of the suit of Frank B. Donner vs. Mc Ragan, et al., was set for September 24

The argument in the suit of Niroad vs. Farrell was set for July 1.

The trial of the suit of O. Martin vs. Mrs. I. I. Frazee et al., was set for September 29.

These matters were continued: Joseph vs. Souza, to July 13; Mrs. W. R. Hamilton vs Thomas Wilson, to September 8; J. F. Wheeler vs. Annie Wheeler, to July 6; estate of W. H. Rogers to September 14; estate of Joseph Purrington, to July 6; estate of Isabelle Johnson, to July 13.

Frank L. Blackburn was named administrator on the estate of H. D. Eveland without bonds.

$100 REWARD $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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City Printing

The Board of Trustees of Sonoma City, State of California, will, up to the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., on July 20, 1908, receive sealed bids for doing the city printing and advertising for one year from August 25, 1908, on the following work :

Legal notices and advertisements, per square of 234 ems, nonpareil or minion.
Instructions to voters, per 200.
Election tickets, in three books, bound, perforated, stubbed and numbered, per 300.
Sample election ballots, per 200.
Nomination of candidates per 200.
Poll Tax receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 200.
City Warrants, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 200.
Tax Collector's receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 300.
Blanks for bills, printed on both sides, per 100.
License blanks, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 500.
Burial permits, per 100.
Assessment blanks, printed on both sides, per 300.
Electric Light Affidavit blanks, per 100.
Letter heads, plain, per 250.
Letter heads, printed, per 250.
Envelopes, plain, per 250.
Envelopes printed, per 250.
Recorder's blanks, complaint, per 100.
" " venire, " "
" " bail bond, " "
" " warrant of arrest, per 100.
Recorder's blanks, commitment on sentence, per 100
Saloon License blanks, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 200.

Bids are to be made on each item separately, and the lowest bidder on each item to be given the contract for that particular item.

All job work to be done in the best manner possible, and on good paper. Newspaper to be printed and published in Sonoma City. All work to be done to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees. Said work to be done only as required by the Board of Trustees.

All legal advertising to be done according to sample in the hands of the City Clerk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

JOSEPH B. SMALL City Clerk.

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READ THE

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The Call's news is always reliable and forceful

The San Francisco Call stands for clean politics and is independent and fearless

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SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., July 4, 1908

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

TO RESCUE NAPOLEON

A Bold Plan That Was Matured In This Country.

IT WAS A DARING SCHEME.

The Enterprise Was Known to the Exile of St. Helena, but Just as the Preparations Were About Complete the Fallen Emperor Died.

Even in "the last phase" our country sustained a certain association with the captive of St. Helena, says a writer in the Magazine of History.

The English felt that any danger of rescue would originate upon the western shore of the Atlantic.

Admiral Cockburn occupied the neighboring island of Ascension, avowedly to prevent it falling into the hands of Yankee raiders. The feeling in the United States against England was at that time quite bitter. Napoleon's landing at St. Helena followed the battle of New Orleans only about seven months, and the downfall of the revolutionary monarch aroused deep sympathy throughout the country.

But the actual grounds for believing in the existence of a rescue party and rescue plans in the United States rest upon the movements of General Lallemand and his associates. This officer's military record, from the revolutionary days to Waterloo, had been distinguished by notable feats of daring.

His devotion to the emperor was loyal and persistent; he had followed him until his embarkation from the shores of France and had tried in vain to accompany him to St. Helena. He was condemned to death by the reactionary tribunals of 1816, but had succeeded in escaping and joining his brother at Philadelphia.

At this time our country was literally swarming with French military refugees, many of whom, like Lallemand, were under capital sentence for their conduct toward the Bourbons during the hundred days.

The Lallemands proceeded ostensibly to unite a number of these veterans into a military colony which they called the Field of Asylum.

Our government granted them 100,000 acres on the banks of the Tombigbee, but as their own project required their establishment near the sea they sold the lands and with the proceeds settled on the Trinity river, in Texas, about fifteen miles from its mouth.

The second in command was Baron Rigaud, whose kindly feelings toward the ancient regime had been illustrated by publicly stamping the cross of St. Louis under his feet. Needless to say, he was also under sentence of death by Louis XVIII.'s court martial.

But the best known of all this devoted band was the famous pirate Lafitte, who had begun life as a Bordeaux blacksmith, had killed his love rival in a duel, had become a noted corsair, the terror of the Antillean seas, had been the effective ally of General Jackson in repulsing the British at New Orleans and at the time of the French settlement of old guardsmen in his vicinity was established at Galveston.

This narrative does not require a detailed statement of the affairs of the 400 grenadiers, of the attacks of the Mexicans on their camp, of their final removal to New Orleans.

All the circumstances indicate that it was not the intention of the Lallemands to found an agricultural colony, but to unite about 1,000 old soldiers for the deliverance of the great prisoner.

The location of their camp was most favorable for the scheme, being near the sea in an unsettled country where their movements would not be watched and, above all, being in proximity to Lafitte, who commanded the required ships. Besides these desirable vessels, one, a model of swiftness, was constructed at Charleston and equipped for its purpose in the most complete manner.

An intrepid captain named Boissiere, who navigated for pleasure, had accepted its command, and this was the ship destined to carry away Napoleon Bonaparte, while Lafitte would land the guardsmen and engage the attention of the English cruisers.

The enterprise was known to the captives, as shown by Bertrand's disclosures. But when the preparations were about complete the news arrived of the emperor's death.

One oh Ma.

They talked during dinner of the anarchists.

"But, papa, what is an anarchist?" little Willie asked.

"Well, my son," replied the father, "he's a person who is always blowing somebody up."

The child turned to his mother. "Then are you an anarchist, ma?" he said.—Argonaut.

Thankful.

"I hope your constituents are grateful to you for what you have done for them."

"I hope so," answered Senator Sorghum, "but I must confess I am thankful for the arrangement which makes compensation for my services independent of the gratitude of my constituents."—Washington Star.

A Case For Hurry.

Cleverton (who has hired a taximeter cab to propose in)—Say "yes," darling.

Miss Calumet—Give me time to think.

"Heavens! But not in here! Consider the expense."—Life.

There is a good deal of cheer on life's journey if it be made with a contented heart.—Vandyck.

Fortune For Forgers.

The last person to suffer death for forgery in London was a Thomas Maynard, who was executed on Dec. 31, 1829. It was not, however, until 1832 that the death penalty for the crime was replaced by transportation, though even then an exception was made in the case of forging or altering a will. This exception was not removed from the statute book until 1837. In the days of good Queen Bess a forger of deeds was very severely dealt with. He had to stand in the pillory; his ears were cut off, his nose slit, and he was branded with hot irons. If he survived these ordeals he was doomed to imprisonment for the rest of his days, and everything he possessed in the world was forfeited to the crown. Surely death would have been far more merciful.

Waifs Who Became Famous.

The list of waifs who have become famous, says the Delineator, is a long one. It includes Sir Henry Stanley, Queen Catherine the Good, Alexander Hamilton, Rosa Bonheur, Edgar Allan Poe, Rachel, Leonardo da Vinci and dates back as far as Moses. All these were homeless children—children who if left to their fate would undoubtedly have drifted into evil ways. Instead they have lived to add glory to their names and have contributed to the knowledge of the world at large through the fruits of their genius.

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Disease and Remedies.

It is almost a truism among physicians that the intractability of a disease may be measured by the number of "infallible" remedies for it which from time to time have been recommended.—London Times.

Sociologist Defined.

"Uncle Henry, what is a sociologist?"

"A sociologist, my boy, is a person who can inspect a garbage can and find enough material in it for a long lecture on the needs of society."—Chicago Tribune.

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Hoyle.

Hoyle was not really the inventor of whist, although often so stated to be, but he was the first who introduced scientific whist to the public. A recent authority says that very little is known of Hoyle's personal history except that he was a barrister by profession and held the post of registrar of the prerogative in Ireland. He was born in 1670 and died in Cavendish square in 1767 at the advanced age of ninety-seven years. He received the sum of £1,000 from his publisher for his treatise on whist, which ran through five editions in one year and was extensively pirated. Hoyle is said to have given lessons in whist at a guinea a lesson. One of his great points was the calculation of probabilities at various stages of the rubber. This at first was deemed so important in guiding players that a famous mathematician used to frequent the coffee houses (the old substitute for the modern clubs) and give his opinion on the state of the odds at any stage in a game of whist in return for a small fee from the players.—Glasgow Times.

Crossing the Ocean.

The following bits of conversation may be heard several thousand times each day:

"I think those people down in the steerage have a much better time than we do. But don't they look just like so many animals?"

"Don't those clouds over there look just like land?"

"Somebody said we aren't far from an iceberg, but I don't know whether it's so or not. You hear so many false reports on shipboard."

"Have you met the captain yet? I hope you didn't ask him any foolish questions, poor man!"

"No; I haven't seen a whale yet, but there were lots of porpoises around the ship today."

"Who is that man? I haven't seen him before. He must have come on board during the night." (Always funny.)

"Did the postman bring you anything this morning?" (Sure of a howl.)

"Is this your first trip to Europe? My, but you have a treat in store!"—Princeton Tiger.

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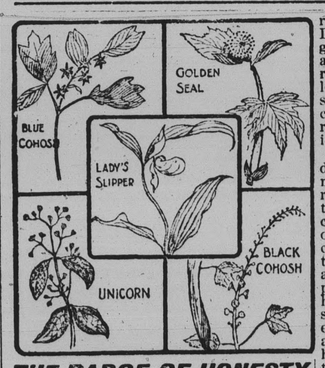
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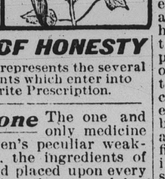
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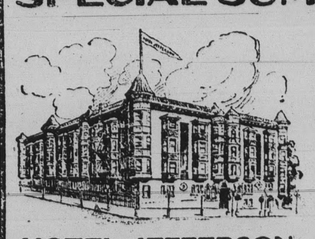
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